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Senator Chamberlain got courage enough a few days ago to come out in open meeting and tell the senators what his constituents should have in the way of protection, but the morning after it looked different and he had the speech cut out of the records. When George comes back for re-election he may regret he did not at least try to have the people of Oregon receive some of the protection, rather than give it all to the eastern manufacturers, who do not vote in Oregon.

**BIG CIRCUS IS COMING SOON.**

Rice Bros. colossal shows, menagerie and hippodrome will be the first and only big show in Ontario this season.

This is the show that is conquering new fields and making new friends. The menagerie has been selected with such care and utter disregard to expense that it ranks as the menagerie "DeLux." This is the show of features. No act finds a place in the performance until it has demonstrated its superiority over all acts of similar character. Grand free street parade of tableaux, cages and horses which are the finest obtainable. Don't forget the date, Ontario, Saturday, August 9th.

**EXCURSION TO BE RUN TO SMITH'S FERRY SUNDAY**

Manager Dunn has made all arrangements for the excursion to Smith's Ferry on Sunday, August 3.

The train will start from Nyssa at 7 o'clock, Ontario 7:30, Payette 8 and Fruitland at 8:20. Fare for the round trip from any of these points \$3.

This trip will take you to the home of the trout, and give you five hours to try your skill. A few angle worms will help out. Then there are the mountain sides covered with the juiciest huckleberries you ever saw. The lofty pines afford shade and the mountains a welcome breeze at all times.

Take enough lunch along for two, you will need it.

**WESTERN PACIFIC WILL BUILD FEEDERS FOR THEIR LINE**

The announcement of the new manager of the Western Pacific that his road would build feeders for his line, including one to this section, indicates that we will soon have a much more direct connection with San Francisco, which will be of great benefit to both sections.

The road from Winnemucca to some point in the Snake river valley will be a good money maker and serve a large section of virgin territory and it is almost certain that one of the big systems will get behind it.

Another short cut can be made by a road south through the Twin Falls section to Cober and there connect with the road to Ely, the great copper camp, also Pioche and on to Los Angeles over the Clark road, saving nearly 200 miles over the route by Pocatello and Salt Lake.

The route by Winnemucca will save over 500 miles of the present haul to San Francisco.

The management of the Idaho Northern announced that they will rush the work on their line from Smith's Ferry to the Payette lakes and be through in time for traffic this fall, which will be a great boon to the people of the Long Valley and Payette lake section.

Ex-assessor Payne was in town Wednesday.

**SNAKE RIVER CAN BE MADE NAVIGABLE TO THIS POINT**

That the Snake river can be made navigable from its mouth to Ontario and possibly farther, is the opinion of John H. Lewis, state engineer. Mr. Lewis is quietly working on a gigantic scheme by which the Columbia and Snake rivers can be made navigable from the present upper point of navigation to Ontario or a point in this section, thus giving the great inland empire country an outlet to the sea.

His scheme is also one which will bring but little expense to the states as he proposes to have gigantic companies interested in the development of power to assist in the work of building the locks and dams necessary to make the two big rivers navigable. Through the harnessing of the rivers in several places power enough can be generated to supply it cheaply for the big manufacturing enterprises, besides furnishing cities and towns for hundreds of miles around and it is through the big companies and manufacturers that Mr. Lewis contemplates securing the capital necessary.

His scheme has been looked into by a number of prominent men in the northwest and also in the east and is pronounced feasible. The fact that Mr. Lewis is an engineer of national reputation makes the success of his proposition almost an assured fact and one which will likely be realized within the next few years.

**McBratney's Furniture Bargains.**

\$40.00 Sewing Machine goes for \$20.  
 \$20.00 Ostermooer mattresses, \$12.  
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 \$3.50 Bed Springs \$2.50.  
 \$25.00 Dressers \$17.50.  
 \$3.00 Sanitary Couches \$4.00.  
 \$4.00 Pads for Sanitary Couch \$2.50.  
 \$13.00 Brussels Rug \$9.00.  
 45c Japanese Matting 25c.  
 75c Ingrain Carpet 45c.  
 75c Linoleum 45c.  
 \$16.00 Chiffonier \$11.50.  
 \$1.50 Sewing Tables \$1.00.  
 All furniture of all kinds must be sold at once at net wholesale cost.—adv

**Notice**

Sealed proposals will be received by the City Recorder of the City of Ontario, Oregon, up to the hour of 8 o'clock p. m. on the 28th day of August, 1913, for the construction of about 6000 feet of sewer in said City according to the plans and specifications therefor on file with said City Recorder. All proposals must be sealed, marked "Proposals for Sewer Construction," and addressed to Harry B. Grauel, City Recorder, Ontario, Oregon. The bids will be opened by the Council at the above named hour and the contract awarded. The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check for 5 per cent of such bid.

By order of the City Council.  
 Harry B. Grauel,  
 City Recorder.

**ONTARIO SATURDAY, AUGUST 9TH**

**RICE BROS.**

**COLOSSAL CIRCUS**



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**FRUITLAND ITEMS**

Mrs. Fred Smith is enjoying a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mat Cox, and her sister, Miss Margaret, from Meekie, La.

Miss Lillian Winter was surprised Saturday when sixteen of her girl friends arrived to spend the afternoon with her, it being her birthday. A delightful afternoon was spent playing games. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served just before the jolly crowd left.

Miss Minnie Brown from Durkee, Oregon is visiting with her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. John Rand.

H. J. Tucket and wife and daughter, Irene, spent Sunday at the Cary Tussing home.

Nat Sutton has accepted a position for the summer at the orchard tract.

A large crowd attended the union young peoples meeting at the Methodist church Sunday night. An interesting missionary meeting led by Earl Cotton was enjoyed.

Mrs. H. R. Boomer will leave Friday for a visit with relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. M. B. Sherman and two daughters, Marie and Vera, visited relatives in Caldwell Sunday.

Mrs. Bert Wells returned Monday from a visit with relatives in Baker City.

N. P. Yockey and wife and Rev. Ryff and wife left Wednesday for Mr. Yockey's home in Parma where they will stay about ten days.

The board of Stewards of the Methodist church met at the B. Whealdon home Friday afternoon. Mrs. Whealdon prepared a delicious supper for them.

Mrs. Parrish from Kansas City and Mrs. Delaine from Leota, Kansas arrived Friday for a visit with their sister, Mrs. A. B. Eldridge.

John Closton and Clyde Duck-walter of Nyssa spent Sunday at the Marshall home.

Lola Carpenter, Pearl Badley and Mable Robinson were entertained at dinner Sunday by Ethel Mackinson.

Mrs. C. Wright's father, Mr. Lane, left the latter part of the week for his home in Chicago.

S. Dower of Wadena, Minn. and Mrs. Nellie French of Staples, Minn., relatives of the Joel Bayer family, are expected to reach here this week for a visit with them. Mrs. French's daughter Maude who visited here two years ago is on a pleasure trip in Europe.

Mrs. Carson of Nebraska arrived at the C. K. Huntington home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Boland and Mr. and Mrs. Lyon visited Sunday at the Wm. White home.

C. R. Troth of Denver Colorado arrived Monday for a visit with Dr. and Mrs. Wright.

Roy Hardin left Tuesday for his mines near Van Wyck, Ida. Wm. Rowers entertained the Puchert and Manser families at dinner Monday.

A. H. and Wm. McConnell received word that their father was very ill and they left Saturday for his home in Gunnison, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Barnett and mother, Mrs. Emily Marshall of Bloomfield, Iowa came Sunday for a visit with their relatives, W. J. Russell and family. The Barnetts are on their wedding trip. They expect to go to California from here.



**Boyer's Grocery Department**

L. B. Mackinson has been quite sick the last few days.

**Last Seashore Excursion August 21.**

Low rates to Nacotta, Washington, and return via Oregon Short Line. Tickets on sale from all points in Idaho and Oregon, limited to September 6th. See agents regarding rates and further particulars.

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**Card of Thanks**

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Derrick wish to thank all their friends and neighbors for their many kindnesses shown in connection with the accident and death of their darling daughter Hazel who was called away so suddenly from us. We shall treasure the kind words and good deeds done by all who came to our relief in the hour of trouble.

A. A. Derrick and family.

**M. E. Church Notes.**

Sunday school— 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 o'clock and in connection with this service the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered. Evening service at 8 o'clock— Rev. W. A. Winters, District Superintendent, will be with us.

The business meeting of the Fourth Quarterly Conference will be held Monday evening at 8 o'clock. All the members of church are invited to be present.